IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

GERALD DEPESTRE, : CIVIL ACTION NO. 02-CV-3996

Plaintiff,

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v.

WADDELL & REED,

Defendant.

Defendant.

AMENDMENT TO NOTICE OF REMOVAL

Pursuant to this Court's order dated August 1, 2002, defendant Waddell & Reed, Inc., (sued as "Waddell & Reed"), by and through its undersigned counsel, hereby amends its Notice of Removal solely in respect to ¶3.b, which shall now read:

Contrary to the allegations of plaintiff's Complaint, the Pennsylvania address provided for Waddell & Reed is merely that of a branch office. Waddell & Reed is incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware, with its principal place of business in the State of Kansas. Thus, complete diversity exists between plaintiff and Waddell & Reed.

Respectfully Submitted,

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Dated: August 8, 2002

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, Hope S. Freiwald, hereby certify that I caused to be served on August 8, 2002, a true and correct copy of the Amendment to Notice of Removal by U.S. mail delivery upon the following:

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